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In re application of:

Lydia L. Sohn et al.

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed May 27, 2004, in the above-referenced application. Applicants respectfully request that the Office reconsider the application in light of the following remarks. Accompanying this Amendment is a Notice of Appeal.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.